# Westringia fruticosa

### Common Name(s):

Coastal Rosemary, Morning Light, McKains Puzzle

#### **Current Threat Status (2009):**

Exotic

#### **Habitat:**

In New Zealand this species has been collected four times from the Auckland Region. Twice from hard gumland clay within a cemetery (Waikumete) and in a coastal subdivision (Greenhithe) and twice from joints within basalt lava flows (Mt Albert, Western Springs). These situations appear to be examples of genuinely wild plants. This species is widely cultivated in New Zealand.

## For more information, visit:

http://nzpcn.org.nz/flora\_details.asp?ID=4326



Caption: Westringia fruticosa close up of flowers (wild plant) Photographer: Peter de Lange, 1 Nov 2006, Western Springs, Auckland



**Caption:** Westringia fruticosa plant growing in jointed basalt lava flow. **Photographer:** Peter de Lange, 1 Nov. 2006, Western Springs, Auckland